

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

FREEDOM FROM RELIGION	:	CIVIL ACTION
FOUNDATION, INC., ET AL.,	:	
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Plaintiffs,	:	
	:	5:16-cv-4504
v.	:	
	:	
THE COUNTY OF LEHIGH,	:	
Defendant.	:	

NOTICE OF INITIAL PRETRIAL CONFERENCE

Please be advised that an initial pretrial conference has been scheduled before Judge Edward G. Smith in the above-captioned case. The conference will be held at the Holmes Building, 101 Larry Holmes Drive, 4th Floor, Easton, Pennsylvania 18042 on **Wednesday, November 30, 2016, at 10:30 a.m.**

A copy of the Policies and Procedures for Judge Smith is available on the court's website at <https://www.paed.uscourts.gov>. Prior to the initial pretrial conference, the parties should confer and prepare a joint report pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(f). This joint report should be e-mailed to chambers no later than three days prior to the initial pretrial conference. The parties shall commence discovery **immediately**. Requests to reschedule this conference are strongly discouraged, and the conference will only be continued when compelling circumstances so require.

BY THE COURT:

By: /s/ Shana Restucci
Shana Restucci, Civil Deputy Clerk
The Honorable Edward G. Smith
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Dated: November 4, 2016